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In application of : Matthew W. Poisson, et al.  
U.S. Serial No. : 10/721,832  
Filed : November 25, 2003  
For : MANAGING A VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORK  
Group Art : 2173  
Examiner : Kieu D. Vu

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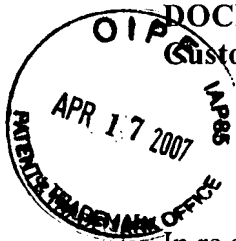
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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 13, 2007, Applicants provisionally elect the claims of Group I, claims 1-5, WITH TRAVERSE.

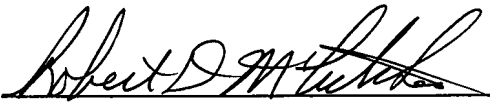
If any issue arises, or if the Examiner has any suggestions for expediting allowance of this application, the Applicant respectfully invites the Examiner to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below or at [rmccutcheon@munckbutrus.com](mailto:rmccutcheon@munckbutrus.com).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

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